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Amendments to the Specification

Please amend the above-identified application, as follows. The changes in the amended specification are shown by strikethrough (for deleted matter) and underlining (for added matter).

Kindly amend page 1, lines 11-28 through page 2, lines 1-16, as follows:

"Method, System And Program Products For Managing Groups Of Partitions Of A Computing Environment," Kubala et al., (~~Docket No. PO9-99-146~~), Serial No. 09/407,391, filed ~~herewith~~ September 28, 1999;

"Method, System And Program Products For Managing Central Processing Unit Resources Of A Computing Environment," Eilert et al., (~~Docket No. PO9-99-148~~), Serial No. 09/407,391, filed ~~herewith~~ U.S. Patent No. 6,587,939, issued July 2, 2003;

"Method, System And Program Products For Managing Logical Processors Of A Computing Environment," King et al., (~~Docket No. PO9-99-147~~), Serial No. 09/407,594, filed ~~herewith~~ September 28, 1999;

"Processing Channel Subsystem Pending I/O Work Queues Based On Priorities," Maergner et al., (~~Docket No. PO9-99-145~~), Serial No. 09/407,594, ~~herewith~~ U.S. Patent No. 6,651,125, issued November 18, 2003;

"Method, System And Program Products For Managing I/O Configurations Of A Computing Environment," Cwiakala et al., (~~Docket No. PO9-99-158~~), Serial No. 09/407,544, filed ~~herewith~~ September 28, 1999;

"Method, System And Program Products For Determining I/O Configuration Entropy," William J. Rooney, (~~Docket No. PO9-99-157~~), Serial No. 09/407,544, filed ~~herewith~~ U.S. Patent No. 6,519,660, issued February 11, 2003;

"Method And Apparatus For Assigning Resources To Logical Partition Clusters,"

Rooney et al., (~~Docket No. PO9-99-063~~), Serial No. _____, filed herewith U.S. Patent No. 6,598,069, issued July 22, 2003; and

"Method And Apparatus For Creating And Identifying Logical Partition Clusters,"

Rooney et al., (~~Docket No. PO9-99-156~~), Serial No. _____, filed herewith U.S. Patent No. 6,567,841, issued May 2, 2003.